

RESOLUTION NO. _____, SERIES 2010

A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO APPLY FOR AND ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS WITH THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY TRANSPORTATION CABINET DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS CONCERNING TEN GRANTS DESCRIBED HEREIN.

Sponsored By: Councilwoman Cheri Bryant Hamilton

WHEREAS, the Metro Government desires to apply for and receive state grants for the following projects.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT (THE COUNCIL) AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: The Mayor is hereby authorized to apply for grants and enter into Agreements with the Commonwealth of Kentucky Transportation Cabinet Department of Highways for the following projects:

1. Bicycle and Pedestrian education, encouragement, enforcement and evaluation programs to increase safety, efficiency, visibility, and popularity of bicycling and pedestrian travel in Louisville Metro.
2. Community Sidewalk Improvements which will include funding for design and construction of pedestrian facilities and safety improvements throughout Louisville Metro as recommended in the Pedestrian Facility Master Plan.
3. Bicycle facility improvements which will include funding for design and installation of bikeway facilities in Louisville Metro as recommended in the Bicycle Facility Master Plan.
4. Bicycle signage, striping, and signals which will include funding for design and installation of bikeway facilities (signed routes, bicycle lanes, etc.) in the CBD and West Louisville.
5. Hybrid Fleet Vehicles which will include funding to upgrade vehicles slated for purchase with hybrid vehicles.

6. Metro-wide Traffic Signal Synchronization which will include funding to improve/upgrade/expand the Central Control System's Communication Network which will enhance operational efficiency through state-of-the-art communications, signal retiming, coordination, and optimization for the State owned suburban traffic signals.
7. Alta Vista Road Bicycling and Pedestrian Improvements which will include funding for design and construction of bicycle and pedestrian facilities and safety improvements from Lexington Rd. to Beargrass Creek Rd.
8. Olmsted Parkway Multi-use Trail project will request funding for design and construction of a half mile segment of multi-use trail along Algonquin Parkway between Cypress Street and Dixie HWY; and a half mile segment of multi-use trail along Algonquin Parkway between Dixie HWY and South 16th Street; and a half mile segment of multi-use trail along Algonquin Parkway between South 16th Street and Sharp Avenue; and a half mile segment of multi-use trail along Algonquin Parkway between Wilson Ave and Cypress Street.
9. Northeast Louisville Loop project will request funding for design and construction of a 1.4 mile segment of multi-use trail along Hurstbourne Parkway between Brownsboro Road and Westport Road; and design and construction of a second phase of a 2 mile segment of a multi-use trail along Shelbyville Road between Beckly Station and Eastwood Cut-off Road.
10. River Road Corridor Bicycle and Pedestrian Improvements which will include funding for utility relocation along River Road between Blankenbaker Lane and River Knolls Drive.

SECTION II: This Resolution shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

Kathleen J. Herron
Metro Council Clerk

Thomas L. Owen
President of the Council

Jerry E. Abramson
Mayor

Approval Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Michael J. O'Connell
Jefferson County Attorney

BY: _____

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